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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 6611

BILL NUMBER: SB 97

DATE PREPARED: Feb 2, 2001

BILL AMENDED: Feb 1, 2001

SUBJECT: Curfew Law.

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FUNDS AFFECTED: **GENERAL
DEDICATED
FEDERAL**

IMPACT: No Fiscal Impact

Summary of Legislation: (Amended) This bill makes additional defenses available to a child who is cited for a curfew violation, including engaged in an activity protected by federal or state law, including conduct involving the free exercise of religion, freedom of speech, and the right of assembly. The bill specifies that unless necessary to protect a child or the community, a law enforcement officer detaining a child for a curfew violation shall make a good faith effort to release the child to the child's parent, guardian, or custodian. (The introduced version of this bill was prepared by the Interim Study Committee on Juvenile and Restorative Justice.)

Effective Date: Upon passage.

Explanation of State Expenditures:

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures:

Explanation of Local Revenues:

State Agencies Affected:

Local Agencies Affected:

Information Sources: